## U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Office of Scientific Authority

CITES COP11: U.S. Negotiating Positions on Species Proposals: Amendment of Appendices I and II

Prop. #	SPECIES/ TAXON	ACTION PROPOSED	Proponent	U.S. negotiating position			
\$ PRC	\$ PROPOSALS SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE PLANTS COMMITTEE						
11.1	Ceropegia spp.	Delete from Appendix II	Switzerland	support, except possibly C. armandii			
11.2	Frerea indica	Delete from Appendix II	Switzerland	support			
11.3	Byblis spp.	Delete from Appendix II	Australia	support			
11.4	Disocactus macdougalli (McDougal's cactus)	Transfer from Appendix I to II	Switzerland	support			
11.5	Sclerocactus mariposensis (Mariposa cactus)	Transfer from Appendix I to II	Switzerland	oppose			
11.6	Cephalotus follicularis	Delete from Appendix II	Australia	support			
	Dudleya stolonifera Dudleya traskiae (Laguna Beach and Santa Barbara Island Dudleya)	Transfer from Appendix I to II	Switzerland	oppose			
	Cyathea spp. (tree ferns) Cibotium barometz Dicksonia spp.	<ul> <li>a) Change listings of</li> <li>Cyatheaceae spp. to <i>Cyathea</i> spp.</li> <li>b) Change listing of</li> <li>Dicksoniaceae spp. to <i>Dicksonia</i> spp. (the Americas only) and</li> <li><i>Cibotium barometz</i></li> </ul>	Switzerland	support			
11.9	Shortia galacifolia (Oconee bells)	Delete from Appendix II	Switzerland	oppose			
11.10	Lewisia cotyledon (Sikskiyou Lewisia) Lewisia maguirei (Maguire's bitter-root) Lewisia serrata (Saw-toothed Lewisia)	Delete from Appendix II	Switzerland	oppose			
	Darlingtonia californica (California pitcher plant)	Delete from Appendix II	Switzerland	oppose			
\$ PROPOSALS WITH EXPORT QUOTAS FOR APPROVAL OF THE COP							
11.12	11.12   Crocodylus niloticus (Nile crocodile)   Maintain Tanzanian population in Tanzania   support						

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		Appendix II; annual export quota of 1600		
	HER PROPOSALS: MAMMALS		•	_
11.13	Manis crassicaudata Manis pentadactyla Manis javanica ( <b>Asian pangolins</b> )	Transfer from Appendix II to I	India Nepal Sri Lanka USA	support: US proposal
11.14	Tursiops truncatus ponticus (Black Sea bottlenose dolphin)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	Georgia USA	support: US proposal
11.15	Eschrichtius robustus ( <b>Gray whale</b> )	Transfer the Eastern North Pacific stock from Appendix I to II	11.15 Japan	oppose
11.16 11.17 11.18	Balaenoptera acutorostrata (Minke whale)	Transfer the So.Hemisphere, Okhotsk Sea-W. Pacific, & NE Atlantic stock & the N. Atlantic Central stock from Appendix I to II	11.16-17 Japan 11.18 Norway	oppose
11.19	Parahyaena (Hyaena) brunnea( <b>Brown hyaena</b> )	Delete from Appendix II	Namibia Switzerland	support
11.20	Loxodonta africana ( <b>African elephant</b> )	Transfer South African population from Appendix I to II, with annotations for trade (30 tons of ivory; hides and leather goods; trophies; live animals)	South Africa	pending
11.21	Loxodonta africana ( <b>African elephant</b> )	Maintain the Botswana population in Appendix II, with annotations for trade (12 tons of ivory, hides and leather goods, trophies, live animals)	Botswana	pending

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11.22	Loxodonta africana ( <b>African elephant</b> )	Maintain the Namibia population in Appendix II, with annotations for trade (2 tons of ivory, hides and leather goods, trophies, live animals)	Namibia	pending
11.23	Loxodonta africana ( <b>African elephant</b> )	Maintain the Zimbabwe population in Appendix II, with annotations for trade (10 tons of ivory, hides and leather goods, ivory carvings, live animals, trophies)	Zimbabwe	pending
11.24	Loxodonta africana (African elephant)	Transfer to Appendix I all populations currently listed in Appendix II	India Kenya	pending
11.25	Loxodonta africana ( <b>African elephant</b> )	Amend the annotation concerning Appendix II populations (regarding the destination of live animals)	Switzerland	pending
11.26	Dugong dugon ( <b>Dugong</b> )	Transfer the Australian population from Appendix II to I	Australia	support
11.27	Vicugna vicugna ( <b>Vicuna</b> )	Transfer all populations in Bolivia that are in Appendix I to II	Bolivia	support, possibly w/ zero quota for newly-downlisted pops.
11.28	Vicugna vicugna ( <b>Vicuna</b> )	Delete the 0 quota for trade in cloth from populations in Appendix II	Bolivia	support provisional quota for 3 pops. downlisted in 1997 – to be re-evaluated at next COP
11.29	Moschus spp. (Musk deer)	Transfer to Appendix I all	India Nepal USA	support: US proposal
11.30	Ovis vignei (Urial)	Include in Appendix I all subspecies not yet listed in the Appendices	Germany	undecided; evaluating if some country populations should be included in Appendix II and others in I.

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\$ BIR	DS			
11.31	Rhea pennata (Pterocnemia pennata pennata) ( <b>Darwin's rhea</b> )	Transfer Argentine populations from Appendix I to II	Argentina	support
11.32	Falco rusticolus ( <b>Gyrfalcon</b> )	Transfer the North American population from Appendix I to II, with a 0 quota for export of wild birds	USA	support: US proposal
11.33	Eunymphicus cornutus cornutus (Horned parakeet)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	France	support
11.34	Eunymphicus cornutus uveaensis (Horned parakeet)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	France	support
11.35	Garrulax canorus ( <b>Hwamei</b> )	Inclusion in Appendix II	China	support
\$ REP	TILES			
11.36	Cuora spp.: (Asian box turtles)	Inclusion in Appendix II	Germany USA	support: US proposal
11.37	Clemmys guttata (Spotted turtles)	Inclusion in Appendix II	USA	support: US proposal
11.38	Geochelone sulcata (African spurred turtle)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	France	support
11.39	Malacochersus tornieri (Pancake tortoise)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	Kenya USA	support: US proposal
11.40	Eretmochelys imbricata ( <b>Hawksbill sea turtle</b> )	Transfer from Appendix I to II ("Cuban population"), w/annotation for: (1) export of stocks (6,900 kg) to Japan; (2) export each year thereafter, to Japan or to other Parties- up to 500 turtles	Cuba Dominica	oppose
	Eretmochelys imbricata (Hawksbill sea turtle)	Transfer from Appendix I to II ("Cuban population"), w/annotation for export in one shipment of registered stocks (6,900 kg) to Japan only.	Cuba	oppose
11.43	Varanus melinus (Quince monitor)	Transfer from Appendix II to I	Germany	support
11.44	Crotalus horridus (Timber rattlesnake)	Inclusion in Appendix II	USA	support: US proposal

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\$ AM	PHIBIANS			
11.45	Bufo retiformis (Sonoran green toad)	Delete from Appendix II	USA	support: US proposal
	Mantella spp. ( <b>Mantella frogs</b> )	Inclusion in Appendix II ( <i>Mantella aurantiaca</i> is already in Appendix II)	Netherlands USA	support: US proposal
\$ FIS				
11.47	Rhincodon typus (Whale shark)	Inclusion in Appendix II	USA	support: US proposal
11.48	Carcharodon carcharias (Great white shark)	Inclusion in Appendix I	Australia USA	support: US proposal
11.49	Cetorhinus maximus (Basking shark)	Inclusion in Appendix II	United Kingdom	support
11.50	Latimeria spp.(Coelacanths)	Inclusion in Appendix I ( <i>Latimeria chalumnae</i> is already in Appendix I)	France Germany	support
11.51	Latimeria menadoensis (Coelacanths)	Inclusion in Appendix I	Indonesia Germany	support if 11.50 is not adopted
\$ INV	ERTEBRATES			
11.52	Poecilotheria spp. (E.hemisphere tarantula)	Inclusion in Appendix II	USA Sri Lanka	support: US proposal
\$ PLA	ANTS (other than Plants Committee proposals	s, 11.1-11.11)		
11.53		Harmonize exemptions for medicinal products: combine annotation #2- <i>P. hexandrum &amp; R. serpentina</i> w/annotation #8- <i>Taxus wallichiana</i>	Switzerland	support
11.54	Panax ginseng (Ginseng)		Russia	support
	Araucaria araucana (Monkey puzzle tree)	Transfer from Appendix II to Appendix I (Argentina population)	Argentina	support

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11.56		Exempt up to 3 specimens of rainsticks (Cactaceae, <i>Echinopsis, Eulychnia</i> ) per person	Chile	oppose
11.57	Kalmia cuneata (White wicky)	Delete from Appendix II	USA	support: US proposal
11.58	Camptotheca acuminata (Happy tree)	Inclusion in Appendix II	China	support
11.59	Cistanche deserticola ( <b>Desert cistanche</b> )	Inclusion in Appendix II	China	support
	Harpagophytum procumbens Harpagophytum zeyheri ( <b>Devil's claw</b> )	Inclusion in Appendix II	Germany	support
		Inclusion in Appendix II. Exclude potted live plants.	Germany	support (except for the exclusion of potted plants)
11.62	Guaiacum sanctum ( <b>Lignum vitae</b> )	Transfer from Appendix II to Appendix I	USA	support: US proposal

**NOTE:** Proposal # 11.42 *Crocodylus moreletti* withdrawn by Mexico 1/24/00